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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 97,022-D1-CO)

In re Application of:

**Richard A. Rubin, et al.**

Serial No.: **10/685,737**

Filed: **October 15, 2003**

For: **A System for Cell-Based Screening**

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**BOX RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-14501

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 4, 2006 AND THE  
NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT MAILED OCTOBER 10, 2006**

Dear Sir,

Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2006 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 10, 2006.